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The House convened at 1:00 p.m. with Speaker B. Patrick Bauer in the Chair.

The Speaker stated, "Having conferred with the Attorney General and no objection raised, the temporary House policy while the prayer lawsuit is pending in the courts will be a scripted prayer."

The Speaker read a prayer for health and well-being (printed January 11, 2007).

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Representative Terry A. Goodin.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

Austin	Gutwein
Avery	E. Harris
Bardon	T. Harris
Battles	Herrell
Behning	Hinkle
Bell <input type="checkbox"/>	Hoy
Bischoff <input type="checkbox"/>	Kersey
Borders <input type="checkbox"/>	Klinker
Borror	Knollman
Bosma	Koch
C. Brown	Kuzman
T. Brown	L. Lawson <input type="checkbox"/>
Buck	Lehe
Buell <input type="checkbox"/>	Leonard
Burton <input type="checkbox"/>	Lutz
Candelaria Reardon	Mays <input type="checkbox"/>
Cheatham	McClain <input type="checkbox"/>
Cheney	Micon
Cherry <input type="checkbox"/>	Moses
Cochran	Murphy <input type="checkbox"/>
Crawford <input type="checkbox"/>	Neese <input type="checkbox"/>
Crooks	Niezgodski
Crouch	Noe
Davis <input type="checkbox"/>	Orentlicher
Day	Oxley
Dembowski	Pelath
Denbo <input type="checkbox"/>	Pflum
Dermody	Pierce
Dickinson <input type="checkbox"/>	Pond
Dobis <input type="checkbox"/>	Porter
Dodge	Reske
Duncan <input type="checkbox"/>	Richardson
Dvorak <input type="checkbox"/>	Ripley
Eberhart	Robertson
Elrod	Ruppel <input type="checkbox"/>
Espich	Saunders
Foley	M. Smith
Friend	V. Smith <input type="checkbox"/>
Frizzell <input type="checkbox"/>	Soliday
Fry	Stemler
GiaQuinta	Stevenson
Goodin	Stilwell
Grubb	Stutzman <input type="checkbox"/>

Summers
Thomas ☐
Thompson
Tincher
Torr
Turner
Tyler

Ulmer ☐
VanHaaften
Walorski ☐
Welch
Whetstone
Wolkins ☐
Mr. Speaker

Roll Call 345: 74 present; 26 excused. The Speaker announced a quorum in attendance. [NOTE: ☐ indicates those who were excused.]

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that when we do adjourn, we adjourn until Tuesday, March 6, 2007, at 1:30 p.m.

CHENEY

Motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills 2, 51, 65, 68, 78, 88, 90, 96, 103, 108, 109, 138, 139, 150, 173, 194, 199, 205, 207, 208, 211, 232, 233, 250, 261, 269, 318, 320, 323, 326, 329, 335, 336, 339, 353, 358, 371, 372, 377, 396, 400, 401, 403, 431, 435, 445, 448, 458, 486, 501, 508, 520, 525, 529, 530, 534, 537, 542, 548, 553, 556, 557, 561, 562, 573, and 577 and the same are herewith transmitted to the House for further action.

MARY C. MENDEL

Principal Secretary of the Senate

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed House Concurrent Resolutions 17, 24, and 25 and the same are herewith returned to the House.

MARY C. MENDEL

Principal Secretary of the Senate

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 5, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 11, nays 0.

C. BROWN, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 10, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 12, nays 0.

C. BROWN, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 30, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 10, nays 0.

PORTER, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 94, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 10, nays 0.

C. BROWN, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 136, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 2, line 37, strike "June 30,".

Page 2, line 37, after "2008." insert "**July 1**,".

(Reference is to SB 136 as printed February 2, 2007.)
and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 10, nays 2.

C. BROWN, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Small Business and Economic Development, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 165, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 10, nays 0.

ORENTLICHER, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 192, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 1, between the enacting clause and line 1, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 1. IC 5-2-8-1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 1. (a) ~~As used~~ **The following definitions apply** in this section:

(1) "Abuse" means:

(A) conduct that causes bodily injury (as defined in IC 35-41-1-4) or damage to property; or

(B) a threat of conduct that would cause bodily injury (as defined in IC 35-41-1-4) or damage to property.

(2) "County law enforcement agency" includes:

(A) university police officers appointed under IC 20-12-3.5; and

(B) **school corporation police officers appointed under IC 20-26-16.**

(b) There is established in each county a county law enforcement continuing education program. The program is

funded by amounts appropriated under IC 33-37-8-6.

(c) A county law enforcement agency receiving amounts based upon claims for law enforcement continuing education funds under IC 33-37-8-4 or IC 33-37-8-6 shall deposit each fee collected into the county law enforcement continuing education fund.

(d) Distribution of money in the county law enforcement continuing education fund shall be made to a county law enforcement agency without the necessity of first obtaining an appropriation from the county fiscal body.

(e) Money in excess of one hundred dollars (\$100) that is unencumbered and remains in a county law enforcement continuing education fund for at least one (1) entire calendar year from the date of its deposit shall, at the end of a county's fiscal year, be deposited by the county auditor in the law enforcement training fund established under IC 5-2-1-13(b).

(f) To make a claim under IC 33-37-8-6, a law enforcement agency shall submit to the fiscal body a verified statement of cause numbers for fees collected that are attributable to the law enforcement efforts of that agency.

(g) A law enforcement agency shall submit a claim for fees under this section in the same county fiscal year in which the fees are collected under IC 33-37-4.

(h) A county law enforcement agency program shall provide to each law enforcement officer employed by the county and may provide to each law enforcement officer employed by a city or town law enforcement agency within the county continuing education concerning the following:

(1) Duties of a law enforcement officer in enforcing restraining orders, protective orders, temporary injunctions, and permanent injunctions involving abuse.

(2) Guidelines for making felony and misdemeanor arrests in cases involving abuse.

(3) Techniques for handling incidents of abuse that:

(A) minimize the likelihood of injury to the law enforcement officer; and

(B) promote the safety of a victim.

(4) Information about the nature and extent of abuse.

(5) Information about the legal rights of and remedies available to victims of abuse.

(6) How to document and collect evidence in an abuse case.

(7) The legal consequences of abuse.

(8) The impact on children of law enforcement intervention in abuse cases.

(9) Services and facilities available to victims of abuse and abusers.

(10) Verification of restraining orders, protective orders, temporary injunctions, and permanent injunctions.

(11) Policies concerning arrest or release of suspects in abuse cases.

(12) Emergency assistance to victims of abuse and criminal justice options for victims of abuse.

(13) Landlord-tenant concerns in abuse cases.

(14) The taking of an abused child into protective custody.

(15) Assessment of a situation in which a child may be seriously endangered if the child is left in the child's home.

(16) Assessment of a situation involving an endangered adult (as defined in IC 12-10-3-2).

(17) Response to a sudden, unexpected infant death.

(i) A county law enforcement agency may enter into an agreement with other law enforcement agencies to provide the continuing education required by this section and section 2(f) of this chapter.

SECTION 2. IC 5-2-8-2 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 2. (a) ~~As used~~ **The following definitions apply** in this section:

(1) "Abuse" has the meaning set forth in section 1(a) of this chapter.

(2) "City or town law enforcement agency" includes:

(A) university police officers appointed under IC 20-12-3.5; and

(B) school corporation police officers appointed under IC 20-26-16.

(b) There is established in each city and in each town with a city or town court a local law enforcement continuing education program. The program is funded by amounts appropriated under IC 33-37-8-4 and fees collected under IC 9-29-4-2, IC 9-29-11-1, and IC 35-47-2-3.

(c) A city or town law enforcement agency receiving amounts based upon claims for law enforcement continuing education funds under IC 33-37-8-4 or IC 33-37-8-6 shall deposit each fee collected into the local law enforcement continuing education fund.

(d) Distribution of money in a local law enforcement continuing education fund shall be made to a city or town law enforcement agency without the necessity of first obtaining an appropriation from the fiscal body of the city or town.

(e) To make a claim under IC 33-37-8-4, a law enforcement agency shall submit to the fiscal body a verified statement of cause numbers for fees collected that are attributable to the law enforcement efforts of that agency.

(f) A city or town law enforcement agency shall provide to each law enforcement officer employed by the city or town law enforcement agency continuing education concerning the following:

(1) Duties of a law enforcement officer in enforcing restraining orders, protective orders, temporary injunctions, and permanent injunctions involving abuse.

(2) Guidelines for making felony and misdemeanor arrests in cases involving abuse.

(3) Techniques for handling incidents of abuse that:

(A) minimize the likelihood of injury to the law enforcement officer; and

(B) promote the safety of a victim.

(4) Information about the nature and extent of abuse.

(5) Information about the legal rights of and remedies available to victims of abuse.

(6) How to document and collect evidence in an abuse case.

(7) The legal consequences of abuse.

(8) The impact on children of law enforcement intervention in abuse cases.

(9) Services and facilities available to victims of abuse and abusers.

(10) Verification of restraining orders, protective orders, temporary injunctions, and permanent injunctions.

(11) Policies concerning arrest or release of suspects in abuse cases.

(12) Emergency assistance to victims of abuse and criminal justice options for victims of abuse.

(13) Landlord-tenant concerns in abuse cases.

(14) The taking of an abused child into protective custody.

(15) Assessment of a situation in which the child may be seriously endangered if the child is left in the child's home.

(16) Assessment of a situation involving an endangered adult (as defined in IC 12-10-3-2).

(17) Response to a sudden, unexpected infant death.

(g) A city or town law enforcement agency may enter into an agreement with other county, city, or town law enforcement agencies to provide the continuing education required by this section and section 1(h) of this chapter.

SECTION 3, IC 5-10-10-4, AS AMENDED BY P.L.43-2006, SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 4. As used in this chapter, "public safety officer" means any of the following:

(1) A state police officer.

(2) A county sheriff.

(3) A county police officer.

(4) A correctional officer.

(5) An excise police officer.

(6) A county police reserve officer.

(7) A city police reserve officer.

(8) A conservation enforcement officer.

(9) A town marshal.

(10) A deputy town marshal.

(11) A probation officer.

(12) A state university, college, or junior college police officer appointed under IC 20-12-3.5.

(13) A police officer whose employer purchases coverage under section 4.5 of this chapter.

(14) An emergency medical services provider (as defined in IC 16-41-10-1) who is:

(A) employed by a political subdivision (as defined in IC 36-1-2-13); and

(B) not eligible for a special death benefit under IC 36-8-6-20, IC 36-8-7-26, IC 36-8-7.5-22, or IC 36-8-8-20.

(15) A firefighter who is employed by the fire department of a state university.

(16) A firefighter whose employer purchases coverage under section 4.5 of this chapter.

(17) A member of a consolidated law enforcement department established under IC 36-3-1-5.1.

(18) A gaming agent of the Indiana gaming commission.

(19) A person who is:

(A) employed by a political subdivision (as defined in IC 36-1-2-13); and

(B) appointed as a special deputy under IC 36-8-10-10.6.

(20) A school corporation police officer appointed under IC 20-26-16.

SECTION 4, IC 20-25-4-22 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: **Sec. 22. The governing body of a school city may establish a police department under IC 20-26-16."**

Page 2, between lines 10 and 11, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 5, IC 20-26-16 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]:

Chapter 16. School Corporation Police Departments

Sec. 1. This chapter applies to a school corporation, including a school city (as defined in IC 20-25-2-12).

Sec. 2. The governing body of a school corporation may establish a school corporation police department under this chapter.

Sec. 3. The governing body of a school corporation may do the following for the school corporation police department:

(1) Appoint school corporation police officers.

(2) Prescribe the duties and direct the conduct of school corporation police officers.

(3) Prescribe distinctive uniforms.

(4) Provide emergency vehicles.

Sec. 4. An individual appointed as a school corporation police officer must successfully complete at least:

(1) the pre-basic training course established under IC 5-2-1-9(f); and

(2) the minimum basic training and educational requirements adopted by the law enforcement training board under IC 5-2-1-9 as necessary for employment as a law enforcement officer.

Sec. 5. (a) Notwithstanding section 4 of this chapter and IC 5-2-1-9, an individual appointed as a school corporation police officer before July 1, 2007, must complete, not later than July 1, 2010, at least:

(1) the pre-basic training course established under

IC 5-2-1-9(f); and

(2) the minimum basic training and educational requirements adopted by the law enforcement training board under IC 5-2-1-9 as necessary for employment as a law enforcement officer.

(b) As set forth in IC 5-2-1-9, an individual appointed as a school corporation police officer may not:

(1) make an arrest;

(2) conduct a search or a seizure of a person or property; or

(3) carry a firearm;

unless the school corporation police officer successfully completes a pre-basic training course under IC 5-2-1-9(f).

Sec. 6. (a) A school corporation police officer appointed under this chapter:

(1) is a law enforcement officer (as defined in IC 5-2-1-2(1));

(2) must take an appropriate oath of office in a form and manner prescribed by the governing body;

(3) serves at the governing body's pleasure; and

(4) performs the duties that the governing body assigns.

(b) A school corporation police officer has general police powers, including the power to arrest, without process, all persons who within the view of the school corporation police officer commit any offense. School corporation police officers have the same common law and statutory powers, privileges, and immunities as sheriffs and constables.

(c) A school corporation police officer may serve civil process only to the extent authorized by the governing board. The governing board, in collaboration with local law enforcement, shall establish the powers of the school corporation police officer.

Sec. 7. A school corporation police department established before July 1, 2007, shall be considered, after June 30, 2007, a school corporation police department established under this chapter."

Page 2, after line 23, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 6. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007] (a) An individual appointed as a school corporation police officer before January 1, 2007, must begin the training and education required under IC 20-26-16-5, as added by this act, not later than January 1, 2008. However, an individual who is unable to begin the training and education not later than January 1, 2008, due to the existence of a waiting list for the training and education must begin the training and education as soon as possible after January 1, 2008.

(b) An individual appointed as a school corporation police officer after December 31, 2006, and before July 1, 2007, must begin the training and education required under IC 20-26-16-5, as added by this act, not later than one (1) year after the individual's appointment. However, an individual who is unable to begin the training and education within one (1) year after the individual's appointment due to the existence of a waiting list for the training and education must begin the training and education as soon as possible after the expiration of the one (1) year period.

(c) Notwithstanding IC 20-26-16-5, as added by this act, an individual appointed as a school corporation police officer before July 1, 2007, who is unable to complete the training and education required under IC 20-26-16-5, as added by this act, not later than July 1, 2010, due to the existence of a waiting list for the training and education must complete the training and education as soon as possible after July 1, 2010.

(d) This SECTION expires January 1, 2011."

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to SB 192 as reprinted January 24, 2007.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 10, nays 0.

PORTER, Chair

Report adopted.

OTHER BUSINESS ON THE SPEAKER'S TABLE

Referrals to Ways and Means

The Speaker announced, pursuant to House Rule 127, that Engrossed Senate Bill 165 had been referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Koch be added as cosponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 48.

KUZMAN

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Koch be added as cosponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 49.

KUZMAN

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Crooks be removed as sponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 190 and that Representative Welch be substituted as sponsor.

CROOKS

Motion prevailed.

Pursuant to House Rule 60, committee meetings were announced.

On the motion of Representative Cheney, the House adjourned at 1:30 p.m., this twenty-eighth day of February 2007, until Tuesday, March 6, 2007, at 1:30 p.m.

B. PATRICK BAUER

Speaker of the House of Representatives

CLINTON McKAY

Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives